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Miss Ellen Gleditsch, a Norwegian  
science student, thirty-two years of age,  
has just won a fellowship given by the  
American-Scandinavian Foundation en-  
dowed by the late Niels Poulsen, of  
Brooklyn, and is proceeding to Yale  
University, where she will work with  
Professor Bertram Brotwood. Miss  
Gleditsch began her career as a phar-  
macist, but soon found her greatest in-  
terest was in chemistry, and she kept on  
doing special work until she got very  
interested in radium. Then she wrote  
to Mme. Curie, in Paris, for permission  
to work in her laboratory. She remained  
with Mme. Curie for five years, during  
which time she took her degrees at the  
Sciences. She then returned to Chris-  
tiania, where she lectured at the university  
and conducted advanced laboratory  
research in radio-activity. Miss Gled-  
itsch's special work up to the present  
has been in testing the radio-activity  
of metals and perfecting the processes of  
extracting radium and making it cheaper.

PROTECTING THE CANAL.

The man with the empty pocket sings  
gaily in the face of robbers, says the old  
proverb. But the man of vast pos-  
sessions is perturbed. Already, as the time  
for opening the big Panama channel ap-  
proaches, we have frequent discussions  
about the risks its possession runs in  
time of war. Count Maurice de Parayg, the  
noted French explorer, writes to the  
Paris "Temps" that "this gigantic and  
remarkable work of the United States is  
insufficiently secured in a military  
sense." He thinks that 20,000 to 25,000  
men would barely suffice to guard the  
waterway. In this connection the  
"Mexican Herald" (City of Mexico)  
observes:

"Doubtless the Canal in time of war  
would be frequently threatened with at-  
tacks (from air, sea, and land), for to  
prevent its operation would be to inflict  
a heavy blow upon the United States.  
It is quite clear that the American people  
are, in for a large bill of expense to pro-  
vide for safeguarding the waterway. As  
the discussion progresses, the advocates  
of neutralization will undoubtedly once  
more make themselves heard."

The death occurred on 1st ult. of  
Major Sir William Evans Gordon in  
his 75th year. He served for 20 years in  
India. He accompanied Lord Dufferin  
on several tours as interpreter, and gained  
great knowledge of boundary troubles in  
the native States of Central India, Persia,  
and Tibet.

M. Bodier, who had just been ap-  
pointed interim Governor-General of  
Indo-China as substitute for M. Albert  
Sarran, during his approaching long  
leaves died suddenly on 2d ult. M.  
Bodier, who was in his 55th year, had  
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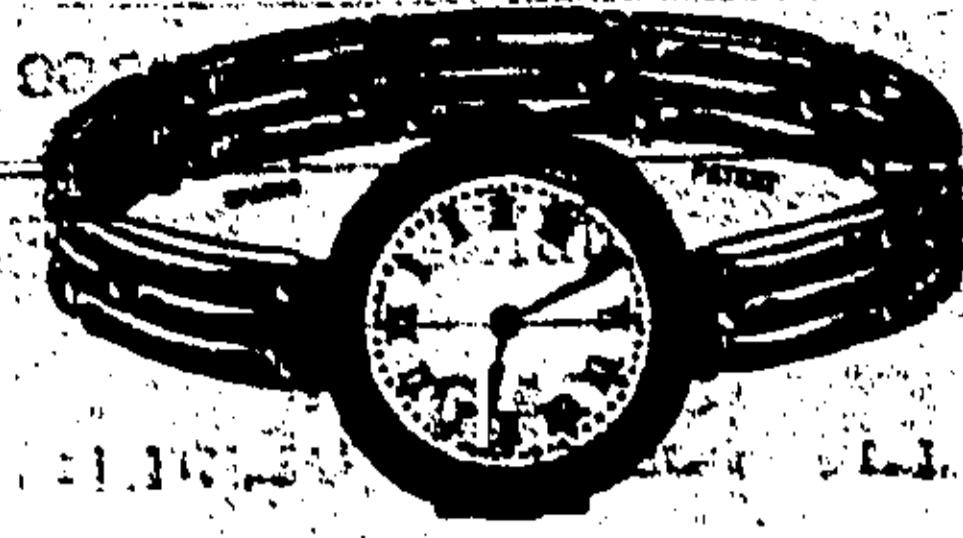
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Although football of a kind has existed  
for centuries, the game as we know  
it to-day does not date back more than  
a few years. Indeed, of more recent  
growth is the division among players  
which has led to the pursuit of the rival  
codes of Rugby and Association as dis-  
tinct pastimes. Still, even if the earliest  
rules laid down by the Football Associa-  
tion allowed several forms of football in  
this year of grace, present-day Association  
football may be said to have had its origin  
in the formation of the body which con-  
trives its justice a few weeks ago.Whereas previously, and, as a matter of  
fact, for some time afterwards, the rules  
under which games were played differed  
with various clubs to an extent difficultto imagine, the Football Association  
exercised a potent influence upon the pro-  
gress of the game in putting forth a  
definite code. Slowly the Football Associa-  
tion developed for a time, even in  
1870—several years after it had come into  
existence—the membership fell short of  
40, but two seasons later came not onlythe first international encounter between  
England and Scotland, but also the in-  
stitution of an annual competition for a  
challenge cup, and thenceforward the  
game grew in popularity at an amazingrate. Early memories are primarily asso-  
ciated with the great Preston North End  
team of the "eighties," and the famous  
amateur eleven of that period. In mark  
of contrast were the methods of the two  
schools, and yet each had their special  
excellence. Which was the higher does  
lopment of Association football I am not  
prepared to say, although the supremacy  
which the professionals established in  
connection with the Association Cup  
would naturally point to the superiority  
of that school. A memorable battle of  
the 1870's certainly did not decide the ques-  
tion against the amateurs. That was the  
Cup tie at Kennington Oval between the  
old Carthusians and Preston North End  
in 1887, when the latter won at the top  
of their form. On that occasion the Car-  
thusians fairly upset the close combination  
of North End, and had them well  
beaten when a foul gave Preston a free  
kick and the opportunity of equalizing,  
while in the extra half-hour the better  
condition of the professionals told its  
tale. Yet such a shaking up had the  
Prestonians received that a few days later  
in a semi-final tie they came to grief  
against West Bromwich Albion—at that  
time admittedly an inferior team to North  
End—whose appearance in the final ro-  
suited in Aston Villa securing the first  
of five triumphs in carrying off the Asso-  
ciation Cup.It should not be forgotten, too, that  
the England team which gained over Scotland  
the most decisive victory—5 to 0—over-  
came by the representatives of the  
southern kingdom, in the long series of  
matches between the two long included  
several amateurs. Another great  
battle of 1887—lost to Scotlandthrough the wonderful keeping of Mac-  
aulay, who, always a great player, gave on  
that afternoon an exhibition which had  
never been equalled, but it was a splendid  
duel combination, with Robert in goal  
the brothers Walters at back, Forrest  
and C. Bailey, and Howarth at half, and  
W. N. Cobbold, E. C. Cambridge, Tim-  
ley, Fred. Dowhurst, and Joe Lofthouse  
forward.Amateurs were also much in evidence in  
the England team which defeated Scotland  
by five to two at Birmingham 20 years  
ago, the home ranks including G. H.  
Cotterill and L. H. Gay—both Old  
Brightonians—R. C. Goeling, an Old  
Etonian, and A. H. Harrison, an Old  
Westminster. It is only fair, however,  
to mention that the professional element  
on that occasion was of exceptionally fine  
quality, W. I. Beaton, Edgar Chadwick  
and Fred Spikley being among the for-  
wards, Reynolds, Holt, and Kinsey being  
the half-back line, and Holmes, of  
Preston North End, being Harrison's part-  
ner at back.The name of Bassett will always be  
associated with the greatest surprise over-  
come in connection with the final tie.  
It was the last instance of that contest  
being decided at Kennington Oval, and  
according to general belief the only reason  
to be settled was the number of goals  
by which Aston Villa would win.  
Such glorious football did Bassett play  
his runs down the right wing will never  
be forgotten by those who witnessed the  
match—their victory was unexpected  
West Bromwich Albion playing very  
well, three goals to none. Another more  
unexpected result was the win of Wolver-  
hampton Wanderers over Everton at Ed-  
ward's, Manchester, in the following  
year, but on that occasion the spectators  
were disappointed, as the game was  
decided by a goal scored by a player  
from the wing.Prior to this match the only instance  
of the final tie being decided out of London  
was in 1888, when the Cup was won by  
West Bromwich Albion, who had beaten  
Aston Villa in the final tie.The 1889 final tie, however, was the best of  
all, and the most exciting, as the two  
schools were evenly matched, and the  
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## BANKS

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Paid-up Capital ..... \$15,000,000  
Reserve Fund ..... 2,000,000  
Sterling ..... 25,000,000 (2,000,000)  
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Reserve Liability of Proprietors ..... \$15,000,000

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Hongkong, Oct. 11, 1913.

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The business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed on the minimum monthly balances at 3 1/2 PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per annum.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,  
N. J. STABB,  
Chairman.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1913.

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

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HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.

AD-UP CAPITAL ..... \$1,700,000  
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FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking business transacted.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED DEPOSITS received for 1 year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.

A. S. HEWITT,  
Acting Manager,  
Hongkong, April 5, 1913.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

Authorized Capital ..... £1,500,000  
Subscribed ..... 1,125,000  
Paid-up ..... 562,500  
Reserve Fund ..... 415,000

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LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on Daily Balance and on Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained on application.

A. R. LINTON,  
Manager.

Hongkong, July 1, 1913.

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ESTABLISHED 1880.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL ..... £1,00,000.00  
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RESERVE FUND ..... 18,500,000.00

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Dutch, Havana, German Cigars, Martin's Twosies.

## CIGARETTES.

Virginia, Egyptian, Turkish—all well-known brands  
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## BIRTHS.

SUTHERLAND.—On November 24, at No. 6  
Jinkee Road, Shanghai, to Mr and Mrs  
FRED. W. SUTHERLAND, Jr., a son.

TEEDDALE.—On November 25, at Shang-  
hai, the wife of J. A. TEEDDALE, of a  
daughter.

## MARRIAGE.

PATERSON-ADRIAN.—On November 23,  
at Tsinanfu, T. C. PATERSON to ANNE S.  
ADRIAN, both of the English Baptist  
Mission, Shantung.

## DEATHS.

BENNET.—On November 25, at St.  
Mark's Hospital, Lima, the beloved wife of  
J. A. BENNET, Chinese Maritime Customs,  
aged 46 years.

STUART.—On November 24, at Hang-  
zhou, the Rev. J. L. STUART, D.D.,  
of the Southern Presbyterian Mission,  
Hangzhou, aged 73 years.

## MEMO. FOR TO-MORROW.

5 p.m.—Auction of Postage Stamps  
at Mr. Goo P. Lammett's Sales  
Rooms.

## General Memoranda.

WEDNESDAY, December 3:—  
2.30 p.m.—Auction of Furniture at  
Messrs. Hughes and Hough's Sales  
Rooms.

2.30 p.m.—Auction of Miscellaneous  
Books at Mr. Goo P. Lammett's Sales  
Rooms.

THURSDAY, December 4:—  
2.30 p.m.—Auction of Blackwood at  
Mr. Goo P. Lammett's Sales Rooms.

## The China Mail.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, Dec. 1, 1913.

PANAMA CANAL AND THE  
PACIFIC COAST.

In a recent issue we directed attention to the effect of the Panama Canal on Far Eastern trade, and pointed out that, among other things, the opening of the Canal will make the competition between British and American manufacturers keener than it has been. Although water has now been let into the Culebra Cut and a small vessel has actually passed from ocean to ocean, it will probably be some time before regular inter-oceanic navigation can be established.

The effect of the Canal on the railways of the United States is, however, even now being eagerly discussed. It is pointed out that at present the great majority of the emigrants from Europe never get very far from the ports on the east coast; but that with the opening of the canal there is likely to be a considerable diversion of this traffic from Europe to the western coast of North America. This will mean that the large western areas, which are now sparsely populated, will become more closely settled, and a large railway traffic will be developed in the Western States between the seaboard and the interior, and also between interior points. Therefore, although the railways may suffer in regard to the through traffic from coast to coast by reason of the competition of the Canal route, the loss will later on be more than made up by the new emigration, by more than recovered by the enhanced local traffic.

It is said that the emigration to the United States will be very large, but that there are too many Americans who believe that it is the duty of every citizen to go to the West. Report has it that the American government has been asked to grant a large number of emigrants a free passage to the United States.

The Edward Dispensary, G. KAMMING & CO., Ltd., has been established for the treatment of diseases of the skin, and is recognized by the manufacturers of the best brands of ointments and salves.

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## HOME RULE SPEECHES.

## MR. BONAR LAW AT DUBLIN.

LONDON, Nov. 30.

Mr. Bonar Law, speaking at a luncheon at Dublin, said Mr. Asquith's speech had evidently given satisfaction to the Premier's followers, and it had also given satisfaction to him (the speaker). (Cheers.) It seemed a complete acceptance of Mr. Redmond's orders for "full steam ahead." If so, the difficulties of the Unionists were gone. (Cheers.) It was impossible for Mr. Asquith to have had a mandate for Home Rule when at the time of the election none had any idea of its provisions. The American rebellion was over the application of an unjust principle, and to-day's injustice to Ulster was tenfold greater. He emphasised that at the time of the Spanish War in the 18th century, when the bonfires were lit, Walpole kept his head and said they were ringing bells to-day, but they would be ringing hands to-morrow. (Cheers.)

Sir Edward Carson followed. He affirmed that his reply to Mr. Asquith was that he would never be intimidated by the Government. (Cheers.)

Mr. Bonar Law, addressing an overflow meeting, said that if the Government proposed a further system of devolution by putting Irishmen, Englishmen, Scotchmen, and Welshmen on the same footing, the Unionists would gladly consider the proposal with an open mind.

## Rowdyism In The Street.

## A WOMEN SHOT.

A mob numbering thousands assembled outside the Theatre Royal, and there was much rowdyism. Eggs and stones were thrown, and revolvers were discharged. One woman was shot and had to be removed to hospital. A man who had attended the meeting was chased down Sackville Street and beaten by sticks as he attempted to board a tram. He was pulled off the car, cut and bled.

Mr. Bonar Law spoke again in the evening. He asked why, if the Government thought that they were entitled to dragon Ulster, they had not stopped the organisation which was now proceeding, and which was daily growing stronger? Why had they not arrested Sir Edward Carson? It might be said that he (the speaker) was endangering Sir Edward Carson's liberty without a risk to his own, but he repeated that he was ready to give the Government the right to prosecute him also.

## A Piece of Nauseous Hypocrisy.

Mr. Lloyd George, speaking at Holloway, replied to Mr. Bonar Law's recent utterance. He dwelt upon the section of the Tories who were using Ulster as a check to social reform, when they pretended that they were out to shed blood for religious freedom, and said it was a piece of nauseous hypocrisy. To those who were sincerely anxious to "seek peace and ensure it" in Ulster they extended to hand of goodwill and fellowship, but to those who were using the fears of Ulster to fight their own selfish battle they would say "If the fight begins, we guarantee it will not be on one side."

## Proud to be a Rebel.

Colonel Hickman, speaking at Duley, said he would be proud to be a rebel alongside Sir Edward Carson. He did not care two pence whether Col. Seely did take action against him. He interviewed twenty-six officers in London yesterday who wanted to serve Ulster.

THE ATTEMPTED FLIGHT  
TO CAIRO.

## The Machine Destroyed.

LONDON, Nov. 30.

The French aviator M. D'Acourt, who left Italy last evening on a flight to Cairo recent, and successfully reached Belgrade, Thessaloniki, and Constantinople, fell in his aeroplane yesterday in the Taurus Mountains. The machine was destroyed, but the aviator was not having a miraculous escape.

## THE BEST COUGH-DRINK.

## THE CHILDREN'S COUGH-DRINK.

## ALSATIAN GARRISON SCANDAL.

## BRITISH ARMY SCANDAL.

## UNITED STATES NAVAL PROGRAMME.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

## AN OFFICER'S INDISCRETION.

## FIVE QUARTERMASTERS TO BE COURT MARTIALLY.

## LONDON, Dec. 1.

LONDON, Nov. 30. The little Alsatian garrison town of Zabern was recently the scene of a fierce outbreak of anti-German feeling, due to the resentment of the inhabitants at a remark by a German Lieutenant when addressing his men, referring to them as "Alsatian vagabonds." Although the Lieutenant was punished, the hostility of the civilians and the military was unalloyed, and this culminated last night in a sharp collision between the troops and the populace, after the arrest of a civilian who insulted the officers. The troops turned out with fixed bayonets and threatened to fire. The crowd fled, but were pursued by the troops. There were forty arrests. The officers only appear in the streets escorted by a guard with fixed bayonets.

Another telegram states that the Zabern affair is assuming the dimensions of a scandal of the first magnitude. Nothing else is being discussed in the lobbies of the Reichstag, and the Alsatian Deputies have given notice of a question to the Chancellor.

The Communal Council of Zabern has telegraphed to the Chancellor, the Minister of War and the President of the Reichstag demanding protection of the citizens from the violence of the troops. Replies have been sent assuring the Council that the affair will be investigated.

## The Arrested Released.

## LATER.

Two judges were among those arrested at Zabern for refusing to recognise the orders of the soldiers to "move on."

All the arrested were subsequently released.

INTERNATIONAL SQUADRONS  
IN THE PIRAEUS.

## NEXT YEAR'S EMPIRE TROPHY.

## LONDON, Nov. 30.

The British and French Squadrons have arrived at Athens. Great crowds of people watched the ships as they entered the Harbour.

The Greek newspapers, welcoming the visitors, say that the nation will never forget what it owes to the Western Powers, from Navarino to the present day.

EARL SANDHURST OPERATED  
UPON.

## LONDON, Nov. 30.

Earl Sandhurst has been operated upon for appendicitis.

The bulletin to-day was favourable.

## LONDON, Nov. 30.

A telegram from Livadia states that the Tsar has granted an audience to the Mongolian Mission.

## AUSTRIA AND BULGARIA.

## LONDON, Nov. 30.

A telegram from Vienna states that King Ferdinand of Bulgaria is returning to Sofia after a cordial interview with the Emperor Francis Joseph, who reassured him concerning the ill-feeling produced in Austria by the recent publication of the Servo-Bulgarian secret Treaty of 1912, whereby the two States undertook to support each other mutually against Rumania and Austria.

ANOTHER NEW ZEALAND  
STRIKE.

## LONDON, Nov. 30.

Repentant Firemen.

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A telegram from Wellington states that twenty-eight firemen belonging to the steamer *Corinthia* have been arrested for refusing to work because the ship was loaded by non-Unionists.

The arrested firemen were sentenced to a month's imprisonment, but on expressing their regret that they were allowed to return to their men.

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WILL dispatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on or about the DATES named:

SHANGHAI, KOBE	BORNEO	ABOUT	Freight and
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SHANGHAI	Capt. W. R. LE MARS, R.N.R.	4th Dec.	Freight and
LONDON, VIA VULCAN PORTS	ASIA	Noon	For Special
OF CALIF.	Capt. G. J. COLEMAN	5th Dec.	Arrival.
LONDON & ANTWERP	SUNDA	ABOUT	Freight and
via STORE, FINE, C. & CO.	Capt. C. E. LIVINGSTON	10th Dec.	Passage.
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OPERATION OF LINE

STEAMER	NAME	DISPLACEMENT	SAFETY DATE
MASSILLION, LONDON	MARU	16,000	Wednesday, 28th Oct.
ANDREW W. LLOYD, Bremen	MARU	16,000	Wednesday, 28th Oct.
SINGAPORE, PERANG, COLOMBO, SUDAN, PORT SAID	MARU	16,000	Wednesday, 17th Oct.

VICTORIA, H. & SEAT. TLE, VIA SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, YOKOJOJI & YOKOHAMA

AKI MARU	TUESDAY, 2nd Dec.
YOKOHAMA MARU	Wednesday, 3rd Dec.
HADO MARU	Wednesday, 10th Dec.

KOBE & YOKOHAMA

HATACHI MARU	THURSDAY, 4th Dec.
WAGASAKI, KOBE AND TOTTORI MARU	WEDNESDAY, 3rd Dec.
YOKOHAMA	Wednesday, 10th Dec.

BOMBA, VIA SINGAPORE AND COLOMBO

KUMANO MARU	WEDNESDAY, 12th Dec.
DAY ISLAND, TOWNS, VILLE AND BRISBANE	THURSDAY, 13th Dec.
TANGO MARU	WEDNESDAY, 14th Dec.

GALUUTTA, SINGAPORE, SANUKI MARU

WEDNESDAY, 13th Dec.	
PENANG, & MANGON	THURSDAY, 14th Dec.
KOBE	TUESDAY, 19th Dec.

PASSENGER SEASON—1914

FOR EUROPE

MITSAKI MARU	16,000 tons	Wednesday, 22nd January
EDANO MARU	16,000 "	11th February
WA MARU	12,500 "	11th February
BIRANO MARU	16,000 "	11th February
KATOH MARU	16,000 "	1st April
KAMO MARU	16,000 "	2nd April
KASHIMA MARU	16,000 "	2nd April

FOR AMERICA

SHIZUOKA MARU	16,000 tons	Wednesday, 22nd January
TAIGA MARU	12,500 "	11th February
WA MARU	12,500 "	11th February
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STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL.

November 11, Keemun.  
November 14, India, N.W. Africa, Prince.

November 16, Benawers, Borneo, China, Chaco, Liberia, Suez, Africentines, November 21, Budow, Ceylon, Dergon, Siam, Paul Lecat.

November 25, Lennox, Miyazaki Maru, Monmouthshire, Ningchow, Junfa, Syria, Rhodesia.

November 28, Austria, Benorich, Pella, Eller, Rickmers, Idomenus, Theseus, Atticique, Naukli.

November 23, Ambia, Eumacus, Glendo, gun, Jigal, Jigal.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

Moira, The C. P. & Co.'s R.M.S. Empress of Borneo arrived at Vancouver between 2 and 4 p.m. on the 23rd Nov.

The C. P. & Co.'s R.M.S. Montrose left Yokohama between 2 and 4 p.m. on November 20th.

The C. P. & Co.'s R.M.S. Empress of Borneo left Vancouver on the 19th Nov.

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Other Vessels, The H. A. L. S. S. S. left Shanghai on the 23rd Nov. a.m. and may be expected here on or about the 1st Dec.

The Australian Lloyd's s.s. Nippon left Shanghai for this port on the 23rd Nov. and is due to arrive here on the 1st Dec.

The B. L. S. & Co.'s s.s. Tordis from Shanghai and Kobe, left Moji on the 20th Nov. p.m. and may be expected here on or about the 1st Dec. a.m.

The H. Y. K. s.s. Hanoveria (Bomby Line) left Bombay for this port via Singapore on the 13th Nov. and is expected here on the 1st Dec.

The G. L. L. s.s. Glenturret left Shanghai on Friday, the 23rd Nov. and is due here on Monday, the 1st Dec.

The H. Y. K. s.s. Toller (European Line) left Singapore for this port on the 20th Nov. a.m. and is expected here on the 2nd Dec.

The H. A. L. s.s. Aduan left Singapore on the 27th Nov. a.m. and may be expected here on or about the 2nd Dec. p.m.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Hitachi Maru (European Line) left Colombo for this port via Singapore on the 20th November, and is expected here on the 3rd Dec.

The J. C. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Tsinlung left Sourabaya on the 24th November, due Hongkong on the 4th December.

The J. C. S. N. Co.'s Hencieck from Leith, Middlesex and London, left Singapore for this port on the 24th Nov. and is expected here on or about the 4th Dec.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Kurotschi Maru (Bomby Line) left Bombay for this port on the 13th Nov. and is expected here on the 7th December.

The American and Mauchline Line's Kandahar left New York on 25th Oct. and is due here on or about the 15th December.

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For full particulars read the December number of "IT" out about the 15th, or Address EDITOR "IT,"  
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G. R.

GOVERNMENT BILLS.

TENDERS FOR SPECIE BRITISH AND MEXICAN DOLLARS, current in this Colony, in exchange for Sterling Bills drawn at 10 days' sight on the Lords Commissioners of HIS MAJESTY'S TREASURY, LONDON, will be received by the TREASURY CHEST OFFICER, ARMY PAY DEPARTMENT, until 11 a.m. on the 2nd December, 1913.

The tenders to state the total amount (in pounds sterling) and the amount for which each Bill should be drawn, but no Bills will be issued for less than 21s.

The tenders to be in duplicates and in two copies, addressed to the TREASURY CHEST OFFICER, ARMY PAY DEPARTMENT, and endorsed "Tenders for Government Bills."

The right to accept or reject any or all of the tenders is reserved.

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J. O'HARA,

Colonel, A.P.D., Treasury Chest Officer, His Majesty's Treasury Office, Hongkong, Dec. 1, 1913. 1479

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THE COTTAGE, Barker Road.  
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Hongkong, Dec. 1, 1913. 1477

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction (for account of the concierge),

on

THURSDAY,  
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Hongkong, Dec. 1, 1913. 1483

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A And.

LOOSE DIAMONDS  
Particulars from Catalogue.

TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH,  
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Hongkong, Dec. 1, 1913. 1481

SHIPPING

ARRIVALS.

November 29.  
Sindu, British str., 3,837, G. Phillips, London Oct. 18, and Singapore Nov. 23, General—P. & O. S. N. Co.

Bombay Maru, Japanese str., 4,624, M. Tozawa, Kobo Nov. 21, General—Nippon Yusen Kajima.

Naruk Maru, Japanese str., 3,759, M. Dequich, Yokohama Nov. 15, Gondra—

Nippon Yusen Kajima.

Pechabur, German steamer, 1,074, C. Gossweich, Hongkong November 27, Coal—

Butterfield & Swire.

Vestfold, Norwegian str., 1,112, Vestfold, Chinawangtiao Nov. 23, Coal—Donaldson & Co., Ltd.

November 30.

Huayang, British steamer, 1,323, A. E. Hodgkin, Foochow via Coast Pots Nov. 27, General—DOUGLAS STRAHLER Co., Ltd.

Michael Josen, German str., 851, J. Jacobson, Bangkok and Hoihow Nov. 28, Rice—CHINESE.

Flooding, British steamer, 1,423, Jas. M. Hay, Bangkok November 21, Rice—

JARDINE, MATTHESON & Co., Ltd.

Tsukio Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,923, G. Shimizu, Newchow via Port Arthur Nov. 23, Coal and General—M. B. K. & Co., S. Dollar, British steamer, 2,074, J. J. Gear, Everett, Washington Oct. 10; and Manila Nov. 16, General and Lumber—ROBERT DOLLAR & Co.

Sangoku Maru, Japanese str., 4,638, T. Yamaguchi, Bombay via Singapore Nov. 21, General—O. S. K.

Ponoma Maru, Japanese str., 3,729, J. Kauai, Tacoma and Shanghai Nov. 27, General—O. S. K.

Ponting, German str., 997, W. Bödecker, from Bangkok, Rice and Timber—

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Elsbach, German steamer, 991, Berg, Haiphong and Hoihow Nov. 29, General—JENKIN & Co.

Sabine Kiehne, Dutch str., 373, B. Y. J. S. D. D. & S. Co., Ltd.

Chengchung, British str., from Canton.

Kansu, British str., from Canton.

Eiger, Norwegian str., from Canton.

December 1.

Polyester, French str., 6,382, Lassine, Massillon and Saigon Nov. 28, Mails and General—MENAGERIE MARITIME.

America, French steamer, 2,658, Costa, Santiago Nov. 28, Mails and General—

MENAGERIE MARITIME.

47/4, Austrian steamer, 4,753, Nicola

Iranci, Trieste Oct. 29, Port Said, Suez, Aden, Colombo, Penang and Singapore Nov. 25, General—SAHIB, WIEHL & Co.

Minerva Maru, Japanese str., 5,270, F. L. Sommer, Yokohama and Shanghai Nov. 28, M. Morioka, Newchwang Nov. 24, General—NIPON YUSEN KAJIMA.

Choyang, British steamer, 1,424, M.

Courtesy, Shanghai and Swatow Nov. 30, General—JARDINE, MATTHESON & Co., Ltd.

Kudo Maru, No. 13, Japanese steamer, 2,655, S. Morioka, Newchwang Nov. 24, Coal—MITSU BOSAN KAJIMA.

Huay, French str., 3,282, A. Carnefusse, Haiphong via Kwang-chow-wan Nov. 30, General—A. M. M. M.

Rialta, British steamer, 3,935, Rialta, New York Oct. 13, Ome Oil—STANDARD OIL & Co.

Tsien, Maru, Japanese steamer, 2,052, Angto, Dairen Nov. 25, Coal—M. B. K.

Shantung, British str., from Canton.

Hangchow, British str., from Macao.

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